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ing, left over or filed ..... Net number distributed .... 2,325,421 Average daily distribution .... 75,013 And said W. B. Carr further says that the number of copies returned or reported unsold during the month of May was

W. B. CARR. Sworn to and subscribed before me this thirty-first day of May, 190L J. F. FARISH, Notary Public, City of St. Louis, Mo. My term expires April 25, 1905.

### ARSURD MR. SMITH.

President McKinley is, as a matter of course, to be commended for furnishing proof of his respect for the American precedent set by George Washington in declining a nomination to a third term of the presidency, and The Republic heartily joins in this commendation.

It seems necessary to remind Postmaster General Smith, however, that he is indulging somewhat absurdly in mock heroics when he speaks of President Mc-Kinley's declination as constituting an "act of self-abnegation." The Postmaster General is allowing his personal loyalty to get the better of the common sense which he undoubtedly possesses.

There was no self-abnegation in Mr. of his friends had put out feelers in his behalf, urging that he be nominated for the third term. The boom was certain to become a boomerang, having already, in fact, wearied and disgusted the American people. It was a good stroke of politics for the President to puncture it, and he could not possibly lose anything by doing so. The American people will not elect any President to a

# DEFEAT THE TROLL BILL.

Delegate Troll's bill, introduced in the House of Delegates last Tuesday night, granting a franchise to the "Forest Park Railway Company," which as yet has no corporate existence, conveying the right to gridiron Forest Park with railway tracks, should be unfavorably acted upon without a moment's unnecessary de-

A blanket franchise of this description is not to be seriously considered. Even if it were right to authorize the railway gridironing of Forest Park, the Troll measure is not entitled to respect as a business proposition. The compensation which it proposes in return for the franchise, while larger than has been paid for railway franchises in St. Louis in the past, is not one-tenth what it should be were the city really to convey to the as yet unincorporated company named a franchise of such tremendous value.

Too great emphasis cannot well b placed on the necessity for a refusal of the House of Delegates to favorably consider the amazing measure fathered influences behind Mr. Troll should be made to understand that the day has gone by when franchise-grabbing of such magnitude is possible in St. Louis. The defeat of the Troll measure, should be so prompt, so unanimous and so emphatic as to serve notice on all promoters of schemes of this nature that their labors will be in vain so far as operations in St. Louis are concerned.

It is a pleasure to commend the St. Louis Board of Education for its unanimous action of Tuesday night increas ing the salaries of teachers in the public schools, the new schedule of sularies being based on a careful consideration of the duties and responsibilities at taching to the various grades.

This wise action of the School Board is in admirable keeping with its record of service to the community in other A just economy in the administration of public school affairs by the present board has alone made it possible to increase the teachers' salaries. Of late years the school revenues have been handled for the benefit of the schools, rather than for that of contractors and

The result of this proper administra-tion of public school affairs has become apparent. New and beautiful schoolses have been built, comparing fa-

renovated, improved and in many inpended, the cause of public school education has been advanced in St. Louis. The increase of salaries paid to the teachers is in line with preceding

achievements. The Republic commends the St. Louis Board of Education and felicitates the public school teachers. The salary increase had been long deserved. It is good to know that it has now been made.

### DUE TO THE TARIFF.

In the speech to the Austrian House of Lords made by Herr Mauthner, president of the Vienna Chamber of Com merce, in which he carnestly urged a European trade a ce against the United States, there he most open annonneement of foreign commercial hostility vet ventured.

It is plain that the policy advocated by Germany in the first place, and now favored by Aestrian sentiment, is rapidly gaining favor. The Europeans find them selves at a tremendous trade disadvantage. They cannot compete in American markets, owing to a prohibitive American tariff on their products and manufactures. The profits accruing to the American trusts from this tariff enable them, by overcharging the American consumers, to grasp an additional advantage in underselling European competitors in other markets. The European resentment of the high protective tariff is, therefore, exceptionally bitter.

The time has come for Americans t decide whether the risks of a European trade war are to be accepted in behalf of the high protective tariff. The tariff's ole beneficiaries are the American trusts, created and now being unhealthily enriched by the tariff. The Amercan consumer pays the tax which enables these tariff-fostered trusts to sell their goods cheaper abroad than at home. The American consumer and producer will have to foot the bill of costs in the event of a threatened trade war. The trusts are secure against loss so long as they can control the policy of the United States Government for their profit and

at the expense of the American people Trusts and the tariff must inevitably be the issue of the Presidential campaign of 1904. It will be well for the copie of this country to intelligently unlerstand that issue. They are paying tariff tribute to the trusts with no resultant benefit to themselves. They will have to bear the burden of a European trade war provoked by the trusts. They can secure the abolition of the tariff and the proper restriction of the trust evil by voting out of power in this Gov ernment the party of the tariff and the trusts. It is incumbent upon them to learn definitely where their interests lie, and then to take political action in ac-

### SANE SUMMER LIVING.

cordance with such knowledge.

Now that the summer is beginning in earnest, and Weather Prophet Hyatt coming to the front with predictions of a long hot spell for St. Louis, it will tend to preserve health and cheerfulness alike if folk will just be sensible and adapt their habit of living to the changed conditions.

No matter how long and warm a sum mer may be in this latitude, it is a delightful season when properly met. A life largely in the open air is at every-body's disposal. Residences and places of business should both be thrown wide to whatever breezes may come. There colds if one consistently insists upon the freest ventilation. A close sleepingchamber or workroom or office is mor productive of colds than an open.

Wise persons are temperate in the matter of food and drink during the summer time. They do not indulge heavily in meats. A plenty of fruits and vegetables should take the place of the more heating and stimulating diet which is demanded in winter. Alcoholic drinks should be eschewed. The best summer drink is moderately cold water, not icecold, and this should be freely drunk between meals. Wear light and comfortable clothing, do not exercise very much, keep in the shade whenever possible, bathe frequently, get regular sleep in well-ventilated bedrooms, positively decline to worry over inconsequen things-and the summer will find you

and leave you healthy and happy. There is no charge for this advice, and it is not expensive to follow. Try the plan thus generally outlined, and, even if you are not able to get away from St. Louis between now and fall, you'll enjoy your summer at home. The glorious climate of Missouri is a healthy climate. Give it a chance this summer by living healthfully and it will keep you strong

# A MATTER OF TONGUE.

Apropos the entente cordiale that has been manifested between the members of the New York Chamber of Commerce and British financiers, a report made by Lieutenant Franklin, an aid of General Chaffee in Pekin, relative to the friendships of the troops of allies sheds interesting light.

of cordiality between the troops of any two nations represented in Pekin was between those of England and the United States, Officially, of course, there was no discrimination among any of the forces, but after a period of liv ing side by side for months, deeper and more real feelings were bound to be displayed by the soldiers.

Lieutenant Franklin says that none of the other nationalities visited the English-speaking camps. When they did come, their welcome was far from cheering. The Japanese were received with kindness, but they seemed to come as a matter of curiosity, merely to observe and not to make friendships. Even the Jap made no distinction between the nations, being apparently as friendly to

Although Russia and France are supposed to be on the best of terms, their troops had nothing to do with each othe in Pekin. The Russians remained in their own camp and were decidedly "cold" to the French visitors. The Germans remained by themselves.

of the British and American soldiers. They visited each other frequently and friendships were formed that remain among the most pleasant of the many

vorably with those of any city in the associations of the relief expedition world. The old buildings have been "The British were the only real friends we had," remarks the Lieutenant, "and stances enlarged. Wherever within the the only ones who were willing to help bounds of school revenues honestly ex- us if we needed it, and of course we re turned with interest their courtesy and

> The reason for this condition of affairs in the social life of Pekin is not far to find. However friendly any troops might be toward those of another nation, the shibboleth was between them The difficulties of language were enough to make closer relations impossible Alone of the nationalities, England and America had a common tongue. Their intercourse could be free. That, to gether with the common ancestry, was enough to make them the friends which they evidently were.

### BRACE UP, ENGLAND.

English dismay following the sweeping victories of Americans on the Brit ish turf is indicative of the stress which that sturdy nation places on sport as a

manifestation of the virility of a people. It seems to our cousins across the water that the American branch of the Angle-Saxon family is now so potently masterful as to threaten a permanent relegation of the English parent stock to the background. They see that our horses are bred and trained to outrus theirs. They have learned that our jockeys are frequently the winning riders in great races. They know that our yacht builders have solved the secret of speed in the modeling of a yacht, and that our skippers are superior to English skippers. They behold an American holding the pugilistic heavy-weight championship of the world. They were compelled to marvel at the ease with which we whipped Spain on land and sea. Our prowess in dashing guerrilla fighting six thousand miles from home has made the Philippine campaign memorable to them.

The London Daily Telegraph, however is in error when it expresses a fear that the British Isles are to become an appanage of the United States. This would be entirely too cruel a revenge for the tyranny of Britain when we were a olonial possession of the British crown. What we shall probably do in the course of the Twentieth Century is to return good for evil. It is more than likely that we shall hold England, Scotland and Ireland against their European foes. We'll play the part of the big and protecting brother, despite the fact of England's having once essayed the role of a harsh mother to us.

Brace up, Britain, and take a more cheerful view of the future. You are safer now than you ever were in your life before. There's only one possible chance of your being annexed to us, and that would arise from your asking to be annexed. We'll do this, of course, any time you ask it, on the principle of always being kind and helpful to kin-

### MUNICIPAL LIGHTING.

With the passage by the City Council of the two bills providing for the installation of municipal lighting plants in the new City Hall and the Insane Asylum it becomes possible for the city itself to do the lighting of its public buildings from the date of expiration of the lighting contracts now in force.

This means, according to the reports of experts made to Mayor Weils at the Mayor's request, a saving to the city of \$115,000 within five years. There is now no further difficulty in the way of the establishment of these plants, and work will doubtless be promptly begun looking to the inauguration of the new system at the earliest moment possible.

This achievement in behalf of the best triumph for practical business methods in the management of municipal affairs. The feasibility and the desirability of the establishment of municipal lighting plants was one of the first reforms seen by Mayor Wells to be possible, and the Mayor was quick to advocate this reform. He went about it in an entirely businesslike manner, ascertaining what would be the saving accomplished, how the plants might best be established, the time necessary for their establishment. Having satisfied himself on all these important points, the Mayor directed the framing of the necessary bill. This bill, approved by the Board of Public Improvements, becomes a law with the affixing of the Mayor's signa-

Mayor Wells has rendered admirable service to the community in this instance. As one of the first notable acts of his administration, it is encouraging to a degree. It is evident that the affairs of the city are in the hands of a practical and level-headed business man who proposes to conduct them for the general good, and who has the necessary ability for the adequate performance of such a task.

St. Louis is almost ready to begin the actual work of buying a municipal lighting plant for the public buildings. As a practical business proposition, St. Louis is in favor of this sort of municipal ownership.

Judging from the number of people who claim to have seen Doctor Kennedy on the night of August 15, 1808, he was the most popular person in New York

Ricomington, Ill., has fust cause to re-

joice over the rebuilding of the burned

district. Perhaps the fire may do for Bloomington what Mrs. O'Leary's cow did for Chicago. When St. Louis is ready to gridiron Forest Park with rallway tracks the

franchise will not be sold for the paltry compensation offered by the Troll bill. In calling Depew and Grosvenor syco-phants, the Globe-Democrat is perfectly

aware of the fact that the national elec-

tion is three and a half years off. Speculative franchises for valuable railway rights in Forest Park are not being given away by St. Louis. Dele-

Thanks to the World's Fair, it won't be necessary hereafter for St. Louisans to produce a map when they tell foreigners they're from St. Louis.

gate Troll's friends please notice.

Delegate Troll's Forest Park railwaygridiron bill is such a fine promoters' measure that it must be promptly de

servatory of Music.

Long before the time set for the first number of the programme every seat in the house was occupied, and when the concert commenced all the standing room was taken up. For the most part the audience was made up of the friends and relatives of the graduates, and every number was enthusiastically received.

From a music standpoint, the concert was a success in every way. The numbers were cleverly chosen to display the work of the performers. The girls and young women who were graduated were gowned in white summer dressen, and wore pink and red roses. Without an exception those who took part in the programme did excellent work. They displayed perfect ease and were without any of the awkwardness usually seen among amsteurs.

Expecially noteworthy was the work of pianistes. Selections of Chopin, Lissi, Leoncavalio and Beethoven were played with the cleverness of Interpretation of a virtuoso. Among those who did especially well Delegate Troll's blanket franchise for the railway gridironing of Forest Park should be wet-blanketed.

# SCHOOLS.

# GRAMMAR SCHOOLS CLOSE SUCCESSFUL YEAR'S WORK.

Eight Hundred and Sixty Three Pupils Qualify for Entrance to the High School, Where Most of Them Intend to Pu-

sue Their Studies.

With pleuier, stemmboat excursions and various other recreations, the public school children of St. Louis are celebrating the successful termination of the scholastic year of 1900-1901.

Relaxation from the routine work began with the district school plenies in the last week. The graduating exercises of the grammar schools have already commenced and several will take place to-day and tomorrow. Commoncement week will comesto a close Friday might with the graduating exercises of the High School pupils who have successfully passed their examinations for entrance to the High School apply for admission in September, the Board of Education would be confronted with the serious question of suitable quariers for the accommodation of all the High School pupils. Eight hundred and sixty-three pupils of the grammar schools, either through the recommendation of teachers or a special examination at the High School, have qualified themselves for entrance to the High School pupils. Markon Alpeser, Charles I., French, Lewise H., Hongland, Rosa D., Streck, Marie R. Mandon, Alice G., Kavanaugh, Grace E., Hetfield, Robert I., Tompkins, Edward M., Pendeville, Florence Williams, Roland Alpeser, John R. Hangland, Elien M. Sweeney, Grace C., Patterson, Edna O., Kreeh. Cora May Hopple, Fred E. Best, Williams, and thirty-three who took the examination at the High School in Sare either undered and sixty-three of these recommendation of teachers or a special examination at the High School, have qualified the miscipal of the High School pupils.

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schools who successfully passed the entrance examination.

The list of the pupils qualified to enter the High School was received yesterday by Superintendent Soldan. It is as follows:

ArHagton.

Edgar M. Carson, Eugene N. Deprez, Oliver Fleming, Edward A. Horan, Joseph Lamping, Fred B. Schell, Harry J. Sickel, Walter E. Westerman, Dorothea Boehme, Mary Byrne, Ethel J. Cook, Georgia H. Evans, Emma Gerstner, Eva M. B. Thompson, Jessie Gray, Georgia P. Hart, Dons E. Howell, Queenie King, Birdle S. Kirkland, Berta Libby, Carrie E. Marsh, Ella Menckel, Carrie Merritt, Marguerite O'Neill, Effie J. Price, Frances C. Spencer, Mary T. Wiest, William Becker, Hazel M. Christiansen, Dorothy T. Donnelly, Blanche Kellerman, Annette C. Kimberlin, Lola Kimberlin, James A. Strode, Agnes Franson, Eisle F. Tacke, Cora Meyer, Stella C. Lapping, Mary O. Seymour.

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arine A. Killoren and Lily Von Closseman Charless.

Elizabeth Mans, Augusta Rolb, Hazel Hogan, Addie Proeschle, Oliver Wenker, Julius Tolkmann, Michael Spreitzer, Joseph Rice, Edward Meyer, Walter Daschel, Henry Hartmann, Louis Hammerer, Walter Koppen, Adele Lenz, Ella N. Jacoby, Miriam Hertz, Ella Derner, Henry Weldemueller, Fred Tiemann, Aifred Schultz, Joseph Pfeffer, Paul Laichinger, Frederick Grash, Frederick Heimburter, George Kollow, Charles Kressley, Jennie M. Mikrieck, Marie Myerson, Katherine Pfeiffer, Angela S. Rovan, Ellen Sale, Anna Seitz, Flora K. Viehle, Eleanor Wesseler, Laura Zeis and Louisa Zwicke.

MISS MAREL DEGGE, Graduate, piano.

A brilliant and fashionable audience filled the Odeon to overflowing last night at the graduating concert of the Beethoven Con-servatory of Music.

Long before the time set for the first num-

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ine B. Havener.

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Marion Alpeser, Charles L. French, Leville H. Hongland, Rosa D. Streck, Marie R. Manion, Alice G. Kavenaugh, Grace E. Heetheld, Robert I. Tompkins, Edward M. Kruckmeyer, Mary I. Shamon, Margaret M. Pendeville, Florence Williams, Roland Alpeser, John R. Hangland, Ellen M. Sweeney, Grace C. Patterson, Edna O. Koch, Cora May Hopple, Fred E. Rest, William S. Becker, Marie Stidger, Florence E. Richardson, Edith Nichaus, Clara M. Wulff, Leslie G. Hodgins, Alfred J. Kunz, Edwin P. Porier, Mary Casey, Blanche Calvin, Francis A. De Vol. Rianche E. Dye, Winfred G. Ferguson, Alice M. Frazer, Brace E. Garrett, Fred C. Langenkamp, Amice C. Oldhelm, Belle Colomia, Mary J. Cummickey, Sadle E. Dovle, Ethel Elliott, Ruth Fishwick, Clara D. Herzog, Cote Brilliante.

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Charles E. Goodale, Edward Hoolihan,
Ruth Steves, Oscar Hazenstab, Mamie Daffern, Alice Robinson, Mary H. Mansfield.
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MISS SADIE KUTTNER,

were Miss Amelia Meyer, Miss Katherine Groschke and Mra' Ella Faith. A violin solo, "Ballade and Polonaise," played by Master Charles Seymour, Jr., was well re-

# RE-ELECTED AS PRESIDENT OF McKENDREE COLLEGE.



DOCTOR M. H. CHAMBERLIN, Re-elected president of McKendree College, has served as the head of this in-stitution seven years. He has attracted title attention of Western educational circles by reason of his splendid efforts in behalf of the college, and is leading a movement for the liberal endowment of the institution, which the friends of the

college believe is sure of success.

Kaye, Agnes N. Klernan, Augusta L. Stemme, Eusenia Stoutenberg, Irene M. Winters, Edna C. Zeppenfeld, Howard Bart-lett, Louise E. Geserich, Clara L. Johnson.

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William Cochran, Arthur Hunt, Edward Kessler, Alfred Krieger, George Wecker, Lillie Fenier, Laura Hintz, Oliva Merkel, Minnie Schwaebe, Henry Gerber, Heiene Dombacker, Louise M. Spohrer, Anna Weit-rig, Catherine Williams.

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### GRADUATING EXERCISES.

Southeast Normal School Students Complete Course of Study.

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Adella J. Behrens, Ida E. Bueltman, Julia Adella J. Behrens, Ida C. Behrens, Ida C. Richter, Sarah H. Thbles, Florence Wacholg, Florence C. Zelle, Bertha J. Wooley, Sylvia Wedel, Ida E. Wasserfall, Laura A. Stowe, Clara Stumpf, Laura A. Stowe, Clara G. Schnellacher, Valeria G. Schnellacher, Val

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full amount of the endowment fund re-bs obtained.

The treasurer of the endowment now in use a little more than \$36,000.

Resolutions of condolence on the deaths of Doctor William Wallis of Lebanon and W. F. L. Hadley of Edwardsville, former members of the joint board, were adopted. Members of the Board of Trusteen were elected for a term of three years, as fol-lows:

The following faculity was elected, for the ensuing year:

President and professor of mental and moral philosophy, loctor M. H. Chamberlin: professor of Greek, Eneter William C. Walton: professor of Latin. James C. Bolley: professor of mathematics and astronomy, George W. Greenwood; professor of natural science, Edward B. Wagnoner: professor of German, Edwin P. Baker; professor of Manual Company of the stapplied, professor of instrumental music, Fred Presid: professor of vocal music, Miss Jennie Black.

Other positions to be simplied by the

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Other positions to be supplied by the Executive Committee.

Judice William C. Jones of St. Louis was elected president of the joint Board of Trustees and Visitors. Professor James C. Doiley was elected secretary: Professor E. B. Wagroner fiscal agent, and J. M. Chamberlin, Sr. was elected treasurer. The following Executive Committee was chosen: Doctor M. H. Chamberlin, president; Doctor E. I. Waggoner, secretary; J. M. Chamberlin, Sr., Judge W. C. Jones, A. W. Morriss and T. A. Wilson. The following commissioners of the endowment fund were elected; J. M. Chamberlin, Sr.; A. W. Morris and T. A. Wilson.

The following degrees were voted:
Racheler of Arts-W. Duff Piercy, Mount Vernin, Fred W. Reinhardt, Lebanon; John W. Dundas, Altamont; William F. Thrail, Lebanon; J. C. Herbstman, Summerfield.
Racheler of Law-Miguel Plancellas, Cayry,